

According to the above structure, when playback is disabled, a part of a broadcast program that a user has missed is recorded in the memory. When the disabled playback changes to be enabled, the recorded part of the broadcast program can be played back.

5 As a result, the user can watch all the parts of the broadcast program and follow the story of the broadcast program.

Also, the playback is disabled either on receipt of an incoming call having priority over the playback, on commencement of a call, or on occurrence of another situation, and the disabled  
10 playback changes to be enabled when the priority over the playback is cancelled.

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According to the above structure, a part of a broadcast program that the user has missed during a call is played back  
15 after the call has ended. Accordingly, the user can watch all the parts of the broadcast program.

Also, the playback unit includes a first playback subunit operable to receive a specification of a playback speed from a user and play back the recorded broadcast data at the specified  
20 playback speed.

According to the above structure, the recorded part of the broadcast program is played back at a desired speed. Accordingly, chasing playback can be performed to catch up with a real-time broadcast.

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Also, the first playback subunit includes: a standard playback subunit operable to play back the recorded broadcast data at a standard playback speed equal to an original playback

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speed of the broadcast program; and a high-speed playback subunit